

## S. B. No. 213

## CHAPTER 291

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A LAW LIBRARY IN  
STANLY COUNTY.

Preamble:  
Law library,  
Stanly County,  
deemed necessary.

*Whereas*, a law library is deemed a necessity for the use of the officials of Stanly County, and of the courts held in said county; and

Provision for  
books, etc., and  
maintenance of  
library, desired.

*Whereas*, it is desired to provide for the proper equipment, books and records necessary and requisite, and for the proper support and maintenance of said library; *now therefore*,

*The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:*

Custodian of  
books, etc., of law  
library, Stanly  
County, named.

SECTION 1. That the chairman of the board of county commissioners, the clerk of the Superior Court, and the membership of the Stanly County Bar Association, and their successors in office, be, and they are hereby constituted the custodian of all books, supplies, equipment and furniture of the law library, which shall be kept and maintained for the County of Stanly and the use of the officials of said county and the courts held therein; the librarian of the Stanly County Public Library shall be and is hereby constituted librarian of the Stanly County Law Library and shall act without extra compensation; it shall be the duty of the said librarian to keep the said law library open during such hours as may be fixed by the Board of Directors of the Stanly County Public Library, and the said law library shall be operated under such rules and regulations as may be fixed by the Board of Directors of the Stanly County Public Library and the librarian above mentioned.

Librarian.

Duties of  
librarian.

Designation of  
portion of  
Stanly County  
Public Library for  
use of law  
library.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the librarian to keep separate and apart, at all times, all books, equipment, supplies and furniture of the said law library, and it shall also be the duty of the said librarian to set aside and designate a certain portion of the Stanly County Public Library for the use of the Stanly County Law Library; all books, equipment, supplies and furniture of said library shall be the property of the County of Stanly, and the said county is authorized and empowered to hold said property and to add thereto from time to time by gift, donation, purchase or otherwise, such books, records, equipment and furniture as may be deemed reasonably necessary and proper for the use of said officials and courts, *provided*, however, that any person or firm may make a loan of any books or set of books and the librarian shall keep proper records of such loan and shall return such books thus lent to the respective lenders upon demand.

Books, equip-  
ment, etc.,  
property of  
County.

Acquisition of  
additional books,  
etc.

Loan of books  
to library.

Fees taxed in  
cases in Superior  
Court and  
County Court for  
support of law  
library.

SEC. 3. In order to provide funds for the maintenance, support and extension of said library, the sum of one (\$1.00) dollar shall be taxed as cost and collected by the clerk of the Superior Court and the clerk of the County Court, in each and every case, tried and disposed of, (except in pauper actions where the defendant wins) in the Superior Court and County Court of